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Chairman's Message

It's been a pretty busy spring for the Adirondack Chapter and with summer approaching the docket is filling up quickly. Since the last newsletter we've had several Chapter meetings, a Tech Session where the body was removed from a C3, and our Judging School and Meet. On the horizon we have planned a road tour to the VIP show at Lakeside Farms, our chapter picnic, another tech session to remove the drive train from the chassis of the C3 and a little trip to Carlisle. As always please try to attend some of our many chapter functions. The more members attending the more fun we all have.

As many of you know our long time Secretary Ann Flowers has been absent due to a health issue. Please join me in wishing Ann a speedy recovery. We all miss you and thank you for all the hard work you have put in over the years

Jim Weir has decided to step down as Vice Chairman as of June 1st. Jim has taken on a lot of tasks over the years and has been a very important asset to our group. I'd like to thank him for his many years of service to the Chapter.

I'd also like to recognize and thank Angelo Finateri for once again providing the program on judging condition at our

Judging School May 18th. He always provides lively discussion about current judging practices.

Finally, I have decided not to seek another term as Chairman. My current term will expire at the end of this year. I've enjoyed serving as chairman for the past 4 years, however for personal reasons; I must step down when this term is up. Thanks for all the help and support I've received from other members and I'm sure there is a likely candidate ready and willing to take my place.

Lief Larsen

On the NCRS forum there is a thread asking for old photos of Corvettes to be posted. If anyone has an old photo they would like to share send it to Bob Gallo for inclusion in the next newsletter – Lief

Bill Meess and his 1958 Corvette photographed in 1963 in Cherry Point, North Carolina

June 2nd Lakeside Farms VIP Cruise In to Benefit Event – ADK NCRS Member Cars

Judging School May 18th at George's Collision

VICE CHAIRMAN - *Jim Weir*

Happy Spring time. It's finally here, warmer weather, now if the rain would stop we could all enjoy our toys.

It's been a busy spring so far, first was the Northeast Chapter judging meet on April 29th held at GT Motor Cars in Wallingford, Conn. We judged 6 cars that day. We were able to look at many exotic cars that were in the showroom. They had Tim Allen's Porsche on the floor for sale with a group of Ferraris. Some were race cars and many others were street models. (See pictures)

Next was the New England judging meet at Paul Masse Chevrolet on May 11th and 12th. We judged 11 cars that day. Some were very nice midyears. We were also able to see many new Corvettes on the floor. (see pictures).

Our own judging meet was held next on May 19th. We had 6 cars registered with 2 cancellations on Friday. So we judged 4 cars. It was a very busy day with a great lunch that Lief picked up.

A group of us attended the VIP show on June 2nd to support them and the Double H Ranch.

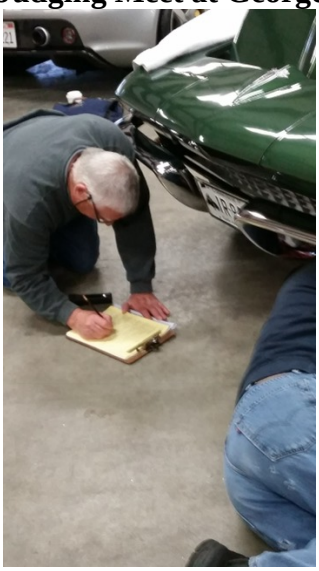
Before I end I would like to thank especially Angelo for putting on our judging school and helping me. A big thanks to our friends from the Northeast and New England chapters for coming over to help us judge our meet. It is a two way street with chapters helping chapters!

In ending, I would like to say that this will be my last newsletter for I have resigned the position of Vice Chairman in the Adirondack Chapter effective June 1, 2018. To challenge one's commitment to the Adirondack Chapter and subsequently have one's integrity as a fair judge being challenged is a personal attack on one's character and will not be tolerated.

It has been great holding this position and I have met and will continue to meet a lot of new friends and great people in the N.C.R.S.

Thank you.

Judging Meet at George's Collision, Cohoes N.Y. May



Northeast Meet – courtesy of Jim Weir

New England Meet – courtesy of Jim Weir

Tech Session I – Body Lift – 1971 Lt-1

Thank you to all of you who generously gave your time, expertise, tools and more to make the Tech Sessions possible and successful.

TECH SESSION II
Engine Removal – shown after disassembly

JUDGING CHAIRMAN - *Brian Cantele*

Your judging chair has been overly busy to take care of some of my duties, including this very short submission to our newsletter. I was out of town for our own judging meet, but hear that the school was of great interest. The flight judging yielded two top flights;
John Dergosits - 1990 ZR-1
Tom Mead -1961
and two second flights Jere Crouse - 1978, 1980.
Thank you to all the volunteers that made it possible. As the good weather continues, keep your eyes peeled on the email stream for upcoming events. The activities chair will give details.

After over a decade as judging chair, it may be time to pass the torch. Anyone interested in taking over the reins, please contact me. Thanks for the great support over the years.

Editor's note: Special thanks to Jim Weir for stepping up to handle the judging meet and preparing the shop. Thank you to all of the entrants and judges and congratulations to the award winners.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN - *Jim Sabia*

Please send all dues and applications to:

James Sabia
585 Main Street Poughkeepsie NY 12601

We have 2 new members Rick Gutta and Jason Champion I want to welcome them to our Chapter. We now have 40 active members; let's try to get to 50 by the end of the Year.

Thanks Jim Sabia

ACTIVITIES CHAIRMAN – *Michael Kalogridis*

Adirondack Chapter NCRS
2018 Events

Chapter functions are in **bold**

July 22nd	**Chapter Picnic** Adirondack Chapter road tour and picnic at Mike Wilson's Sacandaga Camp	
August 23rd - 26th	Corvettes at Carlisle	
October 6th	VIP Cruise In Lakeside Farms Ballston Spa, NY	10 AM
October 8th	**Membership Meeting: Scarborough's**	**6 PM**
November 12th	**Membership Meeting: Scarborough's**	**6 PM**
December 10th	**Membership Meeting: Scarborough's**	**6 PM**
January 2019	**Annual Dinner Meeting**	

SECRETARY'S REPORT – *Tom and Anne Flowers*

Minutes of Meeting
April 10, 2018

Foster's Restaurant
Rhinebeck, New York

Meeting called to order by Chairman Lief Larson at 6:14 P.M.

Members present: Lief Larson, Jim Weir, Mike Wilson, Dom Scafidi, Jim Rigolino, Jay Tansey, Jim Sabia, Pete Wilkinson, Ray Zirkel and Ray Mairler.

Chairman's Report:

Lief covered new mailings and check received from National, for Double H Ranch. Lief will forward check to them.

Vice Chairman's Report:

Jim Weir gave a report on Florida Regional and the Mecum Auction that was held in Kissimmee in January.

Treasury Report:

Mike Wilson reported a positive balance with a group of checks that Brian has for judging meet that need to be deposited.

Secretary Report:

Tom and Anne Flowers were absent. Lief gave an update on Anne's condition after her surgery. She is presently in Sunny View for rehab. Jim and Anne Weir will send a card and best wishes from the club.

Membership Report:

Jim Sabia reported 35 paid members with 3 still outstanding.
Newsletter:

Bob Gallo absent, Lief reported newsletter is out. Nice job, Bob!

Judging Chairman:

Brain Cantele was absent. Lief reported 5 cars to be judged and its last call for registrations. Lief will take care of food for our judging meet and Jim Weir will take care of soda and water.

Web Master:

Bill Schroeder was absent. Lief reported web site is up to date.

Activities:

Mike Kalogridis was absent. Report about tech session on April 22nd at 9:00 A.M. at Mike Wilson's garage. The session will be doing a body lift on Bob Gallo's C-3.

New Business:

Next meeting will be May 14th at 6 P.M. at Scarborough's Restaurant, 497 Old Niskayuna Rd. Latham, NY.
Lief talked about a possible Regional Meet. He met with Angelo and came up with a chart of the amount of Judges and members needed to put on a successful meet. Sites are being looked at and checked for availability.

With no further business, motion was made at 7:01 P.M. by Jim Weir to adjourn, seconded by Lief Larson.

Minutes of NCRS Adirondack Chapter
May 14, 2018

Meeting called to order at 6:04 P.M. at Scarborough's Restaurant by Chairman Lief Larson.

Nine members were present: Lief Larson, Jim Weir, Dom Scafide, Mike Craig, John Dergosits, Mike Wilson, Ray Zirkel, Steve Witter and Bob Gallo.

Vice Chairman Report:

Jim reported on Judging Meet. Five cars are registered to be judged, a 1961, 1962, 1978, 1980 and a 1990. All food, drinks and tabulators have been taken care of, There was a

report on Anne Flowers and motion made by Mike Wilson and seconded by Mike Craig to send flowers from the club. Jim also gave a report on Northeast and New England judging meets.

Treasurer's Report:

Mike Wilson reported on balance with some checks that have not been deposited into the account from registrations for Meet.

Discussion was held on three members who have not paid their 2018 dues. Emails will be sent to these members and they will be given until May 31, 2018 to send in dues or will be dropped from the club roster.

John Dergosits wanted Lief to have Jim Sabia check with the National to see if all members are up to date with National dues.

News Letter Editor will send out email to Board for submissions for 2nd quarter newsletter by June 13, 2018. There was a discussion about having an extra page for swap or for sale parts in the newsletter.

Webmaster Report:

Bill Schroder was absent; Chairman reported our web site is up to date.

Judging Chairman:

Brian Cantele was absent. Jim Weir made the report on the Judging Meet.

Mike Wilson will check dates for club picnic in July. Once date is picked, Jim Weir will make reservations at Halfmoon Diner for breakfast before cruise to picnic.

Mike Craig commented on how smoothly everything went at Mike Wilson's garage for Tech Session. The session for body lift on Bob Gallo's car. He was impressed with the knowledge and work everyone did to complete the lift in one day.

Another Tech Session is scheduled for June 9, 2018 at Bob's garage to remove the engine and rear end off the old frame. Tech Session will start at 10:00 A.M.

Motion to adjourn at 7:01P.M. by Jim Weir, seconded by Bob Gallo.